



## Beauty Making – by Ella Wheeler Wilcox

LibriVox volunteers bring you 15 recordings of *Beauty Making* by Ella Wheeler Wilcox. This was the Weekly Poetry project for June 21, 2015.

Ella Wheeler was born in 1850 on a farm in Johnstown, Wisconsin, east of Janesville, the youngest of four children. The family soon moved north of Madison. She started writing poetry at a very early age, and was well known as a poet in her own state by the time she graduated from high school.

Her best-known work was *Poems of Passion*. Her most enduring work was "Solitude", which contains the lines, "Laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep, and you weep alone". Her autobiography, *The Worlds and I*, was published in 1918, a year before her death. (Summary from Wikipedia)

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